Teaching Portfolio of Marcel Ray Duriez

Teaching Philosophy

As a multifaceted educator, I view teaching as a way to inspire curiosity, creativity, and lifelong learning. My philosophy is rooted in fostering an inclusive environment where students feel empowered to explore, question, and grow. Through adaptability, compassion, and innovation, I strive to connect knowledge to real-world applications, making learning meaningful and transformative.

Teaching Experience

Guest Lecturer	Altoona School District	Delivered lectures on literature, creativity, and writing.
Workshop Leader	IU8 Education Programs	Facilitated workshops on ADHD awareness, asexuality, and cr
Private Tutoring	Independent	Tutored students in English, writing, and art, tailoring methods

Workshops and Guest Lectures

- Workshop: The ABC's of Asexuality – Promoting inclusivity and understanding. - Workshop: Understanding ADHD – Helping parents and teachers support students. - Guest Lecture: Creative Writing and Storytelling – Exploring imagination through narrative. - Guest Lecture: Art as Expression – Connecting visual arts to emotional growth.

Publications

Marcel Ray Duriez is the author of over 118 books and academic writings, including: - Nevaeh Saga (world's longest manuscript). - The ABC's of Asexuality. - The Misunderstood (ADHD-focused). - Academic Writings of Marcel Duriez. - Children's stories such as Christina and Oskar. These works support teaching by blending literature, creativity, and empathy.

Awards and Recognition

- Recognized by IU8 for contributions to education. - Nominated for literary awards for authorship. - Praised as a 'renaissance individual' and modern-day polymath for excellence across fields.

Future Teaching Goals

I aim to expand my teaching into formal classroom settings while continuing to develop inclusive curricula that reflect the diversity of learners. My goals include integrating creativity with core subjects, mentoring students in self-expression, and using literature and art to build empathy and resilience.